

A congressional conference committee, including Sen. Bill Nelson of Florida, is closing in on the final version of a transportation appropriations bill. Please speak up for two key points that still have a chance of being adopted.

- Give local governments in metro areas like South Florida direct access to funds for paths and sidewalks without having to wait for state approval.
- Preserve flexibility for agencies such as Miami-Dade Transit in using aid funds for operations.

Please call your representative and senators today.

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